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# Pinestone announces music festival

by CHAD INGRAM
Times Staff

The Pinestone Resort and Conference Centre will host a music festival later this summer, with tickets on sale now.

"It's similar to what the Haliburton Forest did last year," general manager John Teljeur said in reference to the Forest Festival. That event has been cancelled this year.

Shows for the Edgewater Music Festival will take place Sundays in August, with acts Alfie Zappacosta, Circle 5 and The Nylons already booked.

Grammy- and Juno-award-winning singer-songwriter Zappacosta will play Sunday, Aug. 7, reggae band Circle 5 on Sunday, Aug. 14, and a capella group The Nylons on Sunday, Aug. 28, as part of their farewell tour.

Teljeur said the Pinestone is working on booking other acts and that some shows may also be added on weekday evenings.

Performances are scheduled to take place outside near the pond at the front of the resort, with seating for about 700 and are being produced by Lesley English, who's produced numerous shows throughout the county and is a former manager of the Forest Festival.

"We're going to operate the entire event ourselves," Teljeur said, adding that food and beverages from the resort's new restaurant, Stone 21, would be available at the concert venue. "We're going to have the restaurant

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### 100 dancers compete at Highland Games

Dancer Gwendolyn Allen with Celtic Steps from Keswick competes in the intermediate dance category at the Kinmount Highland Games on Saturday, July 9, at the Kinmount Fairgrounds. Despite the showers, there were 100 dancers competing for the intermediate and premiere titles. The event was sponsored by the Kinmount Committee for Planning. More on page 12. /DARREN LUM Staff

# OPP release Sunshine List information

by CHAD INGRAM

Times Staff

Twenty-two officers from the Haliburton Highlands OPP detachment made the province's public salary disclosure list – the so-called "sunshine list" – in 2015.

The salaries of those 22 officers total nearly \$2.5 million.

Earlier this year, the *Times* published a story showing salary ranges for local employees

who made the list, which shows the names and positions of those earning \$100,000 or more per year.

The Public Salary Disclosure Act was brought in under the government of former premier Mike Harris.

While most publicly paid employees are searchable by their direct employer – the County of Haliburton or Trillium Lakelands District School Board, for example – OPP officers are not searchable by detach-

ment. Rather, their names are listed under the Ministry of Community Safety and Correctional Services at large.

Therefore, it's necessary to have a detachment staff list in order to complete a search. In the past, the list has been provided to the newspaper without issue.

When the *Times* requested a staff list this year, the communications officer from the local detachment responded that, "due to

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# Some proceeds to go to YWCA, food banks

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open, have the deck open."

There will also be a charitable aspect to the festival, with some proceeds scheduled to go to local organizations including the YWCA Women's Shelter and food banks, among others.

Teljeur has been trying to organize a music festival in the community for years, including at the Minden fairgrounds.

"It's a very different version of it," Teljeur said. "Bringing musical acts into the area is always something I've wanted to do."

Tickets can be purchased at the resort and soon on its website.



### Take a kid fishing

Local children were given an opportunity to go fishing thanks to the Ministry of Natural Resources enforcement officers based in Minden, who took the three winners and their two siblings for the Take a Kid Fishing initiative. Conservation officer Steve Murray, summer experience student Nichole Orecchio, conservation officer Craig Smith, Take a Kid Fishing contest winners Owen Nicholls and Matthew Vargas with his brother Alex, contest winner Victoria Robertson with her brother Jonathan and conservation officers Scott Bird and Brian Alexander spent the day fishing. Winners, who were J. Douglas Hodgson Elementary School students, were given fishing rods and tackle boxes with lures and associated fishing equipment bought at local retail outlets. They won for creating posters with one of three themes: knowing your fish species, protecting the natural resources, and is the season open? /DARREN LUM Staff



# Cable systems purchase next step to fibre optic network

With the purchase of the cable TV systems in Haliburton and Minden, North Frontenac Telephone Company says it's another step closer to establishing a fibre optic network in Haliburton and Minden.

Earlier this year, NFTC's representative Grant Roughley made delegations to both councils discussing plans to investigate the feasibility of providing ultra high-speed Internet to the area.

Since that time, NFTC has moved into the design phase, which will allow for a cost analysis of bringing fibre optic networks to the villages. This analysis is required in order to decide whether to proceed.

Roughley said the company's purchase of Eastlink's cable TV systems on July 8 is a sign of commitment to the area, as it offers a potential footprint for a fibre optic system.

"It is our hope that these systems will contribute to the feasibility of constructing new fibre optic networks in these towns," he said.

Fibre optic cable allows for ultra high-speed Internet, digital cable TV (including HD channels) and phone services.

"Some time will be required for the project team to evaluate the distribution network of the newly acquired cable systems to determine how it can be incorporated into the fibre optic network design," said Roughley.

Notices on the change of ownership and new contact information will be sent and NFTC wants to ensure the transition goes smoothly for existing customers. Those with questions can email info@nftctelecom.com or call 1-888-638-3575.

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# 22 local OPP officers make the list

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through the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act."

OPP. If you wish, you can make a request week, received a copy of the staff list from OPP detachment made the list for 2015, the ministry.

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### **MEETINGS & EVENTS**

PUBLIC WELCOME

### July 28

9:00 am, combined COTW/Regular Meeting, Minden Council Chambers

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Please note Council meetings are reduced to one meeting during the months of July and August. For Council, Boards & Advisory Committee meetings, visit www.mindenhills.ca

### <u>PUBLIC NOTICE - PREPARATION FOR POTENTIAL POSTAL</u> **DISRUPTION**

The Township of Minden Hills has made arrangements to minimize the impact that a potential labour disruption at Canada Post may have on Township business.

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All cheques in payment of supplier invoices will be held until postal services resume. Suppliers may pick-up their cheque at the Finance Department, front counter, Monday to Friday, from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm. Some form of identification will be required, in order for staff to release your cheque.

For inquires related to the delivery of invoices/statements or the pick-up of cheques, please contact the Finance Department at 705-286-1260 ext. 203, fax 705-286-6005 or email accountspayable@ mindenhills.ca

### **Accounts Receivable**

Invoicing for June tipping fees and other Township billing has been processed and is available at the Township office. As above, it will be the responsibility of the charge customer or Community Centre renter to contact the Township for the amount due for their landfill & rental charges and providing payment to the Township by July 31st. Please contact the Finance Department at 705-286-1260 ext. 200 or by email at accountsreceivable@mindenhills.ca to have your invoice emailed or faxed.

### **Property Tax Payments**

The first installment of the 2016 Final Residential Taxes is still due and payable on July 22, 2016. Should a Postal Strike still be in progress, do not attempt to mail your payment. The following options are available: in person (cash, cheque, debit) at the Township Office, main floor; or by using the locked drop box located on the wall of the building along the ramp entrance (no cash please); at any Canadian financial institution (tax bill stub(s) will be required) or by online banking or telephone banking through your financial institution. Pre-authorized payment plans are available – contact the Tax Department at (705) 286-1260 for more information.

### **Building/Bylaw/Planning Services**

The Building/Bylaw/Planning Department will continue to process planning applications in accordance with the legislative requirements of the Ontario Planning Act, c.P.13, R.S.O 1990. Notices in respect to planning applications heard by Council, or committees of Council, will be advertised in the Highlander and Minden Times. Notices will also be posted on the Township's website at www. mindenhills.ca and will be provided by e-mail to anyone who makes a written request for a copy of

Requests for Notices may be made to iclendening@mindenhills.ca or in person at the Administration Office, Building/Bylaw/Planning Department, 7 Milne Street, with reference to the file number

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The Township's procurement processes will continue throughout the potential Canada Post labour disruption. Procurement closing times/dates will not be extended or altered. It is the responsibility of the Respondent to ensure submissions are received prior to deadlines. Submission options may include: Purolator (please note that Purolator is currently experiencing higher than normal volumes and have suspended their time and day-service quarantees), in person to the Administration Office, 7 Milne Street, Minden ON, KOM 2KO, Monday to Friday between 8:30 am and 4:30 pm or placed in the drop box located at the main entrance doors after hours. For further information please contact the Deputy Clerk/Administrative Assistant at 705-286-1260 ext. 313 or email sprentice@mindenhills.ca.

### **2016 VOLUNTEER AWARDS**

The Township of Minden Hills places great importance on recognizing our youth, volunteers, and those who go above and beyond for their communities. We are proud to promote the following awards:

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**6. Trillium Award:** For and individual, group or business whose horticultural, community beautification, civic pride, protection, conservation or enhancement of the environment efforts support the Community in Bloom Program.

Visit www.mindenhills.ca/volunteer-awards/ for full details.



# Thank you

The Township of Minden Hills would like to thank the following sponsors for their generous support towards the 2016 Canada Day Celebration; Gull Lake Cottagers Association, Heritage Canada, Minden Legion and Kawartha Dairy.

And to all the vendors, businesses, organizations and volunteers who also contributed to the day, it was a great success despite the weather and it couldn't have been

done without all of your help!





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### **Summer's first Make It** Minden takes to the alley

Above, families of all ages came out to beat the heat at the inaugural Make It Minden event of the summer held on July 6 at the Fast Lane Bowling Alley

Left, five-year-old Emma Tanti grabs a bowling ball for her turn at the Fast Lane Bowling Alley on July 6 for the kick-off to the 2016 Make It Minden program. The weekly event offers family free programs in the evenings. Organized by Lynda Litwin, the events include kayaking on the Gull River, the Minden Merchant Sidewalk Sale, meet the Firefighters, EMS and OPP and the popular Float Your Hull Down the Gull. Events begin at 6 p.m. each

ANGELICA INGRAM Staff

# Connect to Highlands history at Stanhope Heritage Day

by JENN WATT Editor

Stanhope Heritage Day gives attendees the pportunity to roll up their sleeves and engage with the history of the Highlands.

Planned for Saturday, July 16, the popular event in Algonquin Highlands is all about experiencing traditional arts and crafts, farming methods, food preparation and technology.

A long list of demonstrations and opportunities for all ages makes for an action-packed day at the Stanhope Museum grounds.

"It's a really great family day. It's all inclusive. It has something that appeals to everyone," says co-ordinator Charlene McConnell.

For \$3 a person (free for kids five and younger), you can plan to spend the day, listening to live music, taking in a wildlife demonstration, seeing how quilts are made, checking out a colony of bees, seeing cheese and butter made or checking out antique cameras.

The day kicks off at 9 a.m., which is when you'll want to arrive to get the pick of the baked goods. The Tent Shakers Band gets started at 10 a.m. and Celtic Slow Jam takes over at 11.

Throughout the day you can visit various booths, see farm animals, and children can take a ride on a pony. You can learn how to tap a tree to make maple syrup and watch as a carver creates a wooden spoon with an axe. There's taxidermy, leatherwork, and artists creating paintings and pen and ink drawings.

A butter tart contest and citron marmalade

It's a really great family day. It's all inclusive. It has something that appeals to everyone.

— CHARLENE MCCONNELL

for sale (always a favourite) will satisfy your sweet tooth. McConnell points out that the day is incredibly affordable for families.

"There's no charge for anything else [beyond admission]. So the kids are making crafts, they're getting on ponies, they're getting their face painted ... there's lots and lots of things to do and it's really fun and educational," she said.

The impetus of the event is to bring awareness to Highlands heritage and history, so the focus isn't on making money, it's on knowledge and understanding.

If you'd like to purchase lunch, there is a barbecue running from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Stanhope Heritage Day runs from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday July 16 at the Stanhope Museum grounds: 1123 North Shore Rd., north of Carnarvon. Parking is free. See the full listing of events at stanhopemuseum. on.ca.

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With unanimous approval of the Haliburton Highlands Health Services board of directors, Carolyn Plummer has been appointed president and chief executive officer of the HHHS. The announcement came on the evening of July 7 after several months of reviewing more than 40 applications.

"We are confident that Carolyn is the best candidate and is well positioned to lead HHHS going forward to fulfill our strategic mandate and our vision for the future of health care in Haliburton County," board chairman Dave Bonham stated in a press release.

Plummer couldn't be happier. Even though she's originally from Cookstown and has owned a home in Toronto since the '90s, Plummer "feels more at home in Haliburton than anywhere else," she said in a phone interview.

Plummer said she fell in love with Haliburton the moment she "walked out the deck and looked across the lake" while visiting her boyfriend's family cottage on Silver Beach. She was 19. More than 20 years later, ever since HHHS hired Plummer as director of patient care and chief nursing executive at the end of September 2015, the now-married couple have been renting a house on that very same beach.

For the past seven months, Plummer has served as interim president and CEO. The news makes Plummer feel excited about building more permanent foundations for both a new home and the HHHS team.

"What I love most about working for HHHS is our collaborative approach," she said. "I have the ability to drive change that involves everybody.'

Bonham gave Plummer the news in person just as she was leaving the hospital to go to Toronto. Her mother-in-law underwent surgery for breast cancer and Plummer stayed in Toronto for the next few days.

"I haven't even seen anyone at HHHS in person yet - the staff, the other directors. I just walked out the door knowing I'd been appointed."

Plummer intends to celebrate both her mother-in-law's recovery and her new appointment as soon as possible. Then she'll get back to work.

"We're starting fresh with a great plan and a great team," she said. "First thing on the list? Ensuring there's sufficient coverage in emergency coverage, immediately."

But for now, Plummer is still adjusting to her new title.

"I'm very happy," she said. "I'm very excited the board made the decision it did. I'm looking forward to the years to come."

I'm very excited the board made the decision it did. I'm looking forward to the years to come.

— CAROLYN PLUMMER



Carolyn Plummer has been hired as the new CEO of HHHS. She said her first priority is to ensure adequate emergency coverage. /File photo





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# On the list

**CHAD INGRAM** 

ELL, WHAT DO you know? **OPP** detachment staff lists are public information.

Cough.

As regular readers of this publication will be aware, earlier this year, the local OPP detachment refused to release a current staff list to the newspaper for the purposes of a public salary disclosure story the annual "sunshine list" story.

The Public Salary Disclosure

Act was brought in under the Harris government and mandates the annual listing of publicly paid employees earning \$100,000 or more per year.

Reporter While most employees are searchable by their direct employer – the Township of Minden Hills, for instance – OPP officers are not listed by detachment, but rather grouped as a whole with the thousands upon thousands of employees of the Ministry of of Community Services and Correctional Services.

The newspaper requires the names of the officers reporting to the local detachment in order to complete the search.

While in the past receiving a copy of the detachment staff list has not been a problem, this year, the paper was told that, "due to the operational nature of your request, that

is something that cannot be provided by the OPP."

Hmm . . . OK.

Are requests for information on crimes and collisions, something the paper issues constantly, not also "operational in nature," then?

It seems the response was not

It seems like it was a meaningless pile of flaming word garbage designed to sound somehow official.

The paper filed a Freedom of

Information request for the staff list, which it received without challenge from the ministry, because the list is public information.

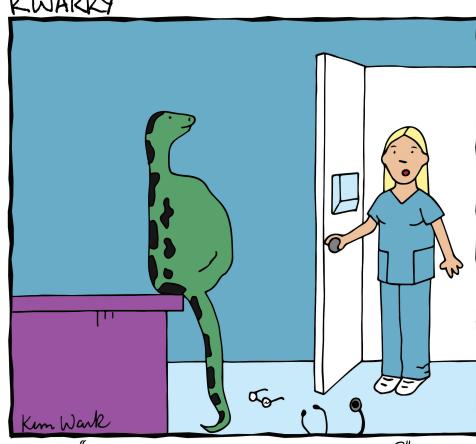
A former Haliburton Highlands OPP detachment commander once

asked how the detachment could have a better relationship with the local media.

Giving us blatantly public information when we ask for it would be a great start.

Given the ongoing controversy and conversation over ever-increasing policing costs in Haliburton County and other communities throughout Ontario, the way this situation was handled casts a poor light on the local detachment, making it appear it was trying to hide the figures from the public, the public to which it is accountable and the public which pays its members handsomely.





"WHAT HAVE YOU DONE WITH THE DOCTOR?"

# Poor, poor prettiful me

S. OLYMPIC WRESTLER Adeline Gray was recently on record complaining about sexism in a feature article about her in CNN's Body Issue magazine. The gist of the article was that some people did not take female wrestlers, even of her worldclass calibre, seriously.

One major grievance she had was that she had been told several times by men that she was "too pretty" to wrestle - despite being a three-time wrestling world champion.

OK, here's my dilemma. I'd like to be supportive of Adeline Gray but I'm just not sure how to do this best.

You see, if I were to meet her and say, "Adeline, I just want you to know I don't think you're too pretty at all," she might take that the wrong way. Next thing you know, I'd be in Emergency wondering what happened as a doctor is untangling my clavicles.

I guess I could err on the side of caution and say, "Adeline, don't listen to them. I happen to think you are pretty enough to be a male wrestler..." Then, you'd just have to brace yourself and see how she took that. I'm guessing it would not be

The point is, pretty has nothing to do with her chosen profession and it's a ridiculous – and possibly dangerous – thing to suggest that it does, one way or the

I know this because I too suffer from this debilitating issue. Even now, pretty is a word that people commonly use to describe me.

People I know have called me as pretty dense, pretty clueless, pretty incoherent,

pretty short and so on.

They don't elaborate on any of this but a fellow picks up on the subtle implications. I get it; the common denominator is pretty.

Honestly, this makes me more than a bit uncomfortable - and, quite frankly, I do worry my pretty little head about it. You see, I'm not just another pretty face which coincidentally is the only thing my critics and I agree on.

My main problem is I don't have any wrestling skills to fall back on, so the best

> I could do is write the person a scathing email. But, for what? For insisting that I'm

I could pray about it. I know this works because once, when I was 10, a girl in my class called me handsome in front of all my friends. I prayed at bedtime that night that it would never happen again and, thus far, the Good Lord has kept his word.

As for the P-word, if someone has the nerve to say this to me in person, I will be ready. I'll get all medieval on them and say, "Doth thou truly mean-

Then, hopefully, they'll just mumble to themselves and walk away, just like my teachers used to do.

All I'm saying here is that I understand completely what Adeline is going through. It's not easy being too pretty for your chosen profession. Every night I sit down after dinner and wonder who is cutting out the photo that accompanies this column and placing in their scrapbook today? And then, I wonder why do they keep that scrapbook at the bottom of their bird cage?

Between you and me, that seems pretty



**STEVE GALEA** Beyond 35

### **INOTHER**WORDS

Columns and Letters to the Editor

# Into the ghostly cabin

This is the third and final instalment of a summer campfire ghost story.

THE OPEN DOOR revealed a scene like nothing Shainie had ever seen. Shafts of sunlight entering the broken windows and cracks in the walls sliced the smoky dimness of the interior, highlighting once normal cottage contents now succumbing to years of neglect and decay. She could taste on the tip of her tongue the sour-sweet smell of damp rot.

Puffs of dust rose around her feet as she moved in slow motion through the cabin. A couch along one wall looked like a cartoon sketch, springs protruding through a faded floral fabric that had been scratched, chewed and soiled by mice and other forest creatures seeking protection from winter storms. A kitchen table and chairs stood beside the side window, plates, knives and forks set out in the dust and animal droppings as if waiting for a family of ghosts to arrive for an evening meal.

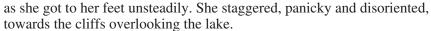
As she backed away from the table, Shainie's boot tripped against an object, sending a scraping noise echoing through the room, and in turn setting off scurrying noises in the cabin's dark corners. She looked down and was horrified to see the object was a doll with its face chewed off.

A shadow with glowing eyes hissed and squealed from a corner. Shainie

screamed and bolted to the rear door. Sunlight blinded her as she crashed through the rotting plank The rear entrance top step was missing and her

boot smashed through the next one, sending her tumbling onto debris scattered below.

When her eyes opened a few seconds later, Shainie wondered where she was and why her forehead was wet and throbbing. She touched the blood seeping from a gash that extended from her right eyebrow to her right temple. The fear that had seized her inside the cabin took hold of her again



JIM POLING SR.

From Shaman's Rock

She stumbled along not knowing where she was going or why, confused by alternating dizziness and blackness. The lake shimmered seemingly miles below her feet, which had difficulty rooting her firmly to the ground. Suddenly they were not rooted at all, and she sensed a rushing all around her, and the sky getting farther and farther away as she fell through the air

The wildness and wetness of a storm tore at her face. The lake tossed and roared. The wind screamed like a tormented animal. A smashed canoe and a girl calling like a loon drifted by in her unconsciousness.

Then a light, a brilliant light steady and safe drawing her closer and closer to Ghostly Point. The light softened and through it came the blurred outline of a face, her mother's face, followed by her mother's voice, then the pine ceiling and other familiar surroundings of her cottage bedroom.

That evening, after the gash on Shainie's head had been cleansed and bandaged, and after her shock had been soothed by a few hours' sleep under a down comforter, Shainie sat with her family on the deck overlooking Shkendang Lake. A thunderstorm had just swept the lake, leaving behind a gentle grey mist and a tranquility that deepened with the advancing twilight.

Shainie's parents had told her about waking that morning to a noise at the dock. They had looked out to see their daughter lying wet and unconscious on the dock while the stern of a birch bark canoe disappeared in the

They all were lost in their reflections about this strange day, staring into the greyness when a breeze parted the mist on the lake, revealing the dark outline of Ghostly Point. Then through the dimness appeared a light, faint but clearly visible to everyone sitting on the deck across the bay. Before anyone could speak, the breeze carried to them a low moan, almost a sobbing that crept across the glassy waters and along shoreline before becoming lost in the thickness of the trees.

"Moong. Wenesh aa-zhwebak? Moooohhhng. G'giigoonke na gamiigoong? Loon. What happened? Loo...oon. Are you fishing on the lake?"

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letters to the editor

# Fantastic service

To the Editor.

As a longtime cottager in the Minden Hills area, I know there are many wonderful businesses, from store owners to the many companies available to fulfill or requests.

I would like to mention two that I have recently had the pleasure of working with at our cottage.

John Fountain Electric - and particular men-

Our cottage is on an island which adds an additional caveat to getting things done. However, working as a team with John, Brad and Greg we were able to get what we needed to service our Internet needs and TV requests. Brad had a wealth of knowledge to share, giving us the best advice on what services would best suit our needs and problem-solved issues that arose in the installations. He was always pleasant and willing to go the extra mile.

Minden Electric - I have wanted to install ceiling fans in our cottage for years but ran into difficulties with our place being an older cottage with a cathedral ceiling.

I had the pleasure of speaking to Angie, the receptionist who helped me problem solve our needs and the best way to tackle them. Through pictures sent and multiple emails we were able to get the project started.

Tim arrived one Monday morning and what a great job he did! His suggestions, solutions and execution to some of the issues we had with this task were just excellent. Kudos to Steve, owner of Minden Electric for hiring such a skilled individual

UpRiver Trading Company - I would be remiss not to mention this fabulous store on Minden's Main Street. So many interesting products, from cards to gifts to coffee. It is a must-stop for my friends visiting from Toronto.

There are many other wonderful companies in Minden but felt I needed to comment on these three that have stood out for me this year.

Martha Larsen

# Return to community volunteering

To the Editor.

I write this not to dwell on the past, but to help share a thought on what Minden Hills might do differently to re-engage volunteers across the municipality.

My family and I had always jumped in to volunteer, we always looked forward to certain events and we felt better connected to the community by volunteering. But then the municipality around 2010 implemented a formal advisory committee that led to all sorts of unnecessary problems and unfortunate power struggles for our hometown.

And now we read about the lack of people volunteering, while at the same time, we ourselves

see MAKE page 8







# Make it easy to volunteer

### from page 7

are missing volunteering. Yet let's be clear we would never ever in a million years give our time and effort to volunteer for a formal advisory committee ever again.

Our two children were both young when we did do a lot of volunteering, and now they are young adults, and I truly hope that they can learn for themselves the self-reward and special connection a person feels when volunteering for their

community. Minden Hills should consider making it easy for people to volunteer. There are a lot of individuals who want to make a difference by volunteering. Simply let them. Do not force them into joining formal advisory committees.

Prior to these formal advisory committees many different individuals would step up to host a community event (baseball game, barbecue, picnic) or fundraiser (hockey pool, raffle, bake sale) and they would get support, and they would make a difference, and they would feel that ex-

tra special connection to their community. It was fun and it was even a little competitive as it would challenge others in the community to get involved as well in their own way so there was always something going on or being planned, and by all corners of the entire community. I do not see that anymore, as the municipality and their advisory committee has taken the control and the desire away from the rest of the community.

How about returning to a community driven process. That way if a family wanted to hold

an October bake sale to support the community centre, they could. Or if a local gardener wanted to donate some flowers for a community centre garden, they could. Or if a high school student needed community hours and could cut the grass, they could. Taking us back to a place where everyone can get involved and help out when and how they can. Make volunteering easy and all of Minden Hills will benefit.

Jeff Hancock Irondale

# Build your strength with simple exercises

Push-ups are awesome! They can be done anywhere. All types are effective. At the wall, on your knees, or on your toes. They can be simple or fancy – think of the one-arm push-ups that Sylvester Stallone did in one of the many *Rocky* movies.

The best part is that push-ups build strength! They are a compound exercise, and that means that they work more than one muscle at a time, unlike the bicep curl that only works, you guessed it, the bicep. That is known as an isolation exercise. Not as effective when it come to overall strength. And kind of a waste of time.

Different from cardio exercises (walking/running) that strengthen the heart and improve circulation, weight/strength/resistance training targets various muscle groups of the body. Many people like to use weight machines. Some folks like to use free weights (barbell/dumbbells). And of late, there has been a trend back to body weight exercises (did someone say "push-ups"?).



LAURIE SWEIG

Fitness

"Use it or lose it" ~ Jimmy Connors

Regardless of the method, it is imperative to keep our bodies strong. By not moving, our nerves and muscles stop communicating and we lose motor skills. By putting ourselves through a series of activities that connection stays strong - or can actually be rejuvenated. That is how amazing the human body is. Just because you may have lost it, doesn't mean it's gone for good.

If you're not doing anything at the moment, try adding a few push-ups to your day. At the wall, from your knees or your toes

is for sure.
Something to think about.

Laurie Sweig is a certified personal trainer and Spinning instructor. She is one of the founders of Ottawa's The Point for Fitness.

- it doesn't matter. You will get stronger. That



### Minden Legion gives local health care a boost

Executive director of the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation, Dale Walker, second from right, accepts an \$8,000 donation from the Minden Legion raised from their annual poppy fund and a \$2,000 donation on July 6. The \$8,000 will go towards a wheelchair, a bariatric wheelchair and pressure relief cushions. The \$2,000 will help fund heavy duty commodes at Hyland Crest. It was presented at the Minden Legion. From left, Legion president Judy Flieger, sergeant-at-arms Dick Schell, First vice-president and poppy chairman Jim Ross, Walker and HHHSF board chairman Peter Oyler. ANGELICA INGRAM Staff



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# Anniversary for local Grannies chapter

by DARREN LUM Times Staff

Love fueled grandmothers Mickey Bonham and Sue Reid to start the local chapter in the Highlands for the Grandmothers to Grandmothers campaign 10 years ago to help grandmothers in Africa raise a generation of babies orphaned by the AIDS crisis in the 1990s.

Back in August 2006, the pair watched the television broadcast of the Grandmothers' Gathering, hosted by the Stephen Lewis Foundation in Toronto, with great interest. This event included 100 grandmothers from Africa and 200 Canadian grandmothers who came together to address the challenges facing grandmothers in Africa who stepped in to raise the orphaned children.

"I thought to myself: what better place than Haliburton to start a grandmothers' group? There's so many older people up here," Bonham said.

The co-founders of the Haliburton Highlands Grannies greatly respected Lewis, a Canadian and, at the time, the United Nations secretary-general's special envoy for HIV/ AIDS in Africa. They wanted to help and discussed the idea of a local chapter. It led to the first meeting for the Highlands Grannies around Reid's dining table soon after the gathering. It included Cathy MacLean, Donna Colby, Sandy Valentine and Jesse Pflug. Before Haliburton started its chapter there were close to 50 chapters already formed.

The Grannies held a Christmas event with a variety of musical guests where they sold goods and refreshments at Pflug's Stouffer Mill Bed and Breakfast Getaway. It not only raised \$2,000, but brought attention to the cause. Following that event the group grew by 25 new members.

"When Sue and I started it, I was hoping for five years. I was aiming to lead for five years and hopefully make maybe \$50,000 and the fact that it has carried on - now we're at 10 years. We've made \$80,000. I think that's amazing. It's wonderful," Bonham said. "Sometimes these things run their

She said there has been \$25 million raised in the last 10 years by 240 chapters in Canada.

Reid said for her it all started with wanting to be part of the solution. This desire remains at the heart of the steady growth

"When we started there were very few people, but at this point there's ... 80 members. Obviously the interest is here,"

When the group started, the numbers only warranted a kitchen table, but now the group requires a hall if they all want to meet. Although there is a small core group, who come to all the meetings, there are many who help in other ways.

As a result of the efforts of the chapters in Canada through the Stephen Lewis Foundation, the grandmothers in Africa have become more empowered over the years, Bonham said.

"They're really starting to speak out for themselves and try to get more help from their governments," she said.

The local chapter and all chapters send the money they raise to the Stephen Lewis Foundation, which then uses the funds to support community organizations in 15 sub-Saharan countries in Africa. The organizations help to provide support groups, children's programming, food programming, and clinics.

"It makes me feel good that the foundation is being successful and also that these people are getting the help that they need," she said.

In recent years, the organization's core group of members have become busy with other causes. Although the Grannies make appearances at other organizations' event, they have kept the Grannies' offerings to the three main events: the Fall Festival at the Abbey Gardens, the Spring Tea and the provision of concession items at Haliburton International Film Festival.

AIDS no longer grabs as many headlines, but the need is still there for the children and the grandmothers.

Bonham sees importance to the continued efforts of the group, particularly since the babies that were cared for by the African grannies will be in their 20s in 10 years.

"So that carries us through so that we've managed to help a group of young African people to grow up through helping their grandmothers," she said. "We've helped them to grow up and hopefully grow up in a more positive way so that they have a better life.

Unlike other chapters, where interest is waning, the local chapter continues to remain strong and has grown steadily over the years. It's a trend Reid would like to see continue.

"We are hoping to continue the interest and with the demographic up here I would think there is a lot of grandmothers.



The Haliburton Highlands Grannies are close to hitting their 10th anniversary and continue to raise money and awareness from events such as their Grannies Spring Tea on Sunday, May 29, at the Haliburton Legion. Co-founders Mickey Bonham and Sue Reid are proud and believe the need for their efforts is still required. The chapter was formed from the Grandmothers to Grandmothers Campaign, which is an initiative of the Stephen Lewis Foundation that helps community level organizations in Africa to provide grandmothers and the children orphaned by AIDS in their care with necessities of life such as counselling, nutrition, shelter, school supplies and activities to generate income./DARREN LUM Staff

We hope that it will continue to earn money for the Stephen Lewis Foundation," she said.

Membership isn't exclusive to grandmothers, she said. It includes anyone with a heart and as former spokesperson Jacqui Clarkson has said publicly, the club includes grandmothers and "grandmothers."

Reid emphasizes this point and welcomes everyone.

"Because we're supporting grandmothers doesn't mean you have to be a grandmother to be a member," she said, adding the main component is caring. "I think this community is such a caring community. Witness the way everybody supported the [Minden] flood victims and, right now, the way a great number of people who are supporting the refugee family who is to come. I think this community has outreach on its mind."



Because we're supporting grandmothers doesn't mean you have to be a grandmother to be a member.

— SUE REID

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### **RBC** gives to Highland Yard and P4P

The RBC Foundation and the Cunliffe Hicks RBC Wealth Management team from London Ontario donate \$1,000 to Places for People and the Highland Yard. The 45th running of the Highland Yard takes place in Minden on July 31 and is the major fundraiser for Places for People, a local charity concerned with providing affordable rental housing to individuals and families in need. Either run or walk and register at run.highlandyard.ca. Submitted

# New book critical of psychiatric system

Connie Neal, a survivor of electroconvulsive therapy (ECT), will launch her book, AFTERSHOCK: Raised Consciousness Crumbles SHAM Psychiatric System at the Minden Hills Cultural Centre this Saturday, July 16.

"As a shock survivor, threatened for the second time after 50 years of freedom, I wrote Aftershock on psychiatry's expanding portals that now include elder restraint," says Neil. "Their DSM boss text falsely characterizes natural life events as illness. My purpose is to replace psychiatry with compassionate remedies. It is my recovery of mental balance through lessons in native teachings, shamanism, Buddhism and meditative magical healings. It grew a shock survivor into an anti-psychiatry activist. In this survivor report I offer what works to restore balance with compassion."

As Bonnie Burstow, author of *Psychiatry* and the Business of Madness says, "This book is by a survivor/activist who is grounded in the lived reality of receiving ECT and fighting against it. As someone who has been there and has for decades fought for self and others, Connie is an expert on what she addresses. For anyone interested in either the ECT survivor experience or activism, this is an important read. Read, learn, then join the struggle."

Neil was an organizer of a recent Toronto protest against ECT and the American Psychiatric Association and is one of the seven-member Coalition to Stop Electroshock that recently presented a report to the Ontario legislature.

A member of the Algonquin Highlands Writers Circle and Bobcaygeon Writers Guild, Neil has authored numerous short stories and articles, including a cover story on institutional elder abuse for Phoenix Rising.

The launch will take place from 2 to 4 p.m. at the cultural centre and feature a talk by Neil, along with the music of Gord Kidd.

For more information, or to order a copy of the book, contact Neil at conneil39@yahoo.







### Kinmount clad in tartan for Highland Games

Right, the mass band marched in front of the grandstand for the Kinmount **Highland Games** on Saturday, July 9 at the Kinmount Fairgrounds. There were six bands, including the Haliburton Highlanders Pipes and Drums. The event was sponsored by the Kinmount Committee for Planning./DARREN **LUM Staff** 





Dancers Grace Collins with the Collins School of Dance in Peterborough, closest, and Gwendolyn Allen with Celtic Steps in Keswick compete in the intermediate dance category at the Kinmount Highland Games on Saturday, July 9 at the Kinmount Fairgrounds.



Heavy events competitor Neil Lowry warms up for the weight for distance (or weight throw event).



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First-time heavy events competitor and Kinmount resident Robert Moody competes.

# Dorset Art and Garden Tour will light up your weekend

If you really want to get to know the Dorset area, take the Dorset Art and Garden Tour on Saturday, July 23 and Sunday, July 24, 10 to 5 p.m. It's free, and it takes you down winding scenic roads you never knew Dorset had. It's real, 'cause it plunks you right in the middle of the gardens, studios and homes of the creative people who live in and around Dorset, and it's fun 'cause you get to meet the fascinating, brave and sometimes eccentric creators behind the works of art and hear

their stories. International tourists would pay big bucks to have such a close-up peek into rural, Canadian life and culture.

Beautiful works of art have evolved from everyday life in Dorset, each one a unique and very Canadian response to the beauty that surrounds the artists and gardeners: pottery by Tara Gilchrist; paintings by Brenda Turnour, Lynne Hollingsworth, Jill Segal and Elizabeth Johnson; sculptures by Elise Muller, Peter Kourtz and Chris Keene; fibre

art by Carolyn Misener; fine wood furniture by Cirvan Hamilton and wood-turned bowls by Bob Scott; jewelry and creative designs by Kate Weatherell and Diana Scott, plus all their beautiful gardens and those of Jeaninne Dunn and Diane and Gary Thompson.

A bright red painted flower is the logo that demarks the Dorset Art and Garden Tour. Now in its second year, the tour promises you a unique, educational and exciting weekend with its expanded palette of studios and gardens. The little piece of Muskoka or Haliburton that you take home with you will be a source of endless pleasure.

Brochures with maps of the tour, of local restaurants and of places of interest are available at all Dorset businesses and studios.

Facebook: Dorset Art and Garden Tour Events: Dorsetcanada.com

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# 2016 Summer **Free Family Events** in Minden

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### **Upcoming Events**

**Thurs. July 28** — **Haliburton Time Travellers**, at Canadian Tire

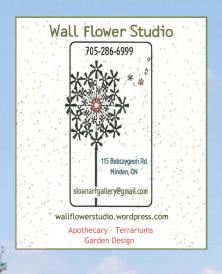
Wed. Aug 3 — Algonquin Outfitters with Kayaks on the Gull, Meet opposite the Post Office on Invergordon Avenue

**Thurs.** Aug 11 — Haliburton Time Travellers, at Canadian Tire

**Thurs.** Aug 17 — Minden Merchant Sidewalk Sale

Wed. Aug 30 — Algonquin Outfitters with Kayaks on the Gull River Meet opposite the Post Office on Invergordon Avenue

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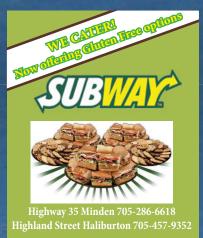
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# Gull Lake cottager sinks hole-in-one at Beaverbrook

by JENN WATT

Editor

Stewart Pye kept his enthusiasm in check when he lost track of his ball on the sixth hole on a hot Wednesday morning at Beaverbrook Golf Course in Minden.

With 218 yards from the tee, it seemed too much to ask that his shot had gone straight in the hole.

"I was skeptical," Pye says. He didn't want to look. Christine Chessell was with him and said she, too, wasn't certain the ball had gone in.

But when he made his way to the hole, there it was. Pye's first hole-in-one

Chessell and Pye say the experience was thrilling and visceral. They were literally tingling with excitement.

Pye has been golfing for 35 years – since he was eight years old – and this is the first time he has sunk a hole-in-one.

It was also his first time at Beaverbrook Golf Course, which he called beautiful. Chessell and Pye live in Thamesford, near Stratford, Ont., and were staying at their cottage on Gull Lake.



This golf ball is the very one that delivered a hole-in-one



Stewart Pye and Christine Chessell celebrate Pye's hole-in-one at Beaverbrook Golf Course. Pye has been golfing for 35 years and this is his first hole-in-one, which he achieved on the sixth hole – a Par 3. JENN WATT





### **Golf tournament gets Sassy**

Minden's Sassy Digs donated several items to the upcoming Matt Duchene Charity Golf Tournament organized by Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation. Sassy Digs donated a leather chair and pillow as prize items. From left, Sassy Digs manager Cathy Mack, ACM Designs' Andria Cowan Molyneaux (who donated \$250 worth of design consultation), HHHSF's golf tournament chairman David Zilstra, and HHHSF executive director Dale Walker. The golf tournament is scheduled for Thursday, July 21 at the Pinestone Resort and Conference Centre. Money raised goes to purchase bone densitometry equipment. HHHSF appreciates all of the support from local businesses and gives special thanks to lead sponsor K-Line Insulators Limited as well as Harper Powersports and Marine, which donated a floating island. /DARREN LUM Staff

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We are now taking reservations for camp sites. Be sure to book early if you want to be closer to the stage or with your friends! We want to thank the ongoing contribution of Johnny Burke and Peter Deveau for their work in making the Minden Hills Bluegrass Festival such a success.

On behalf of the Rotary Club of Minden and our partners; the Minden Kin, the Minden Legion, the Township of Minden Hills, and the County of Haliburton, we look forward to seeing you at the Festival!

Lynda Litwin

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### FRIDAY PERFORMERS

6:05 – 6:15	<b>Opening Greeting</b>
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6:20 - 7:00**The Tebworth Brothers** 

7:05 - 7:45**Davis & Grant** 

7:50 - 8:30**The Nelson Family** 

8:35 - 9:15**Traditionally Wound** 

**Grassic Measures** 9:20 - 10:00

10:00 - ???The Kelletts The Next Generation (open mic)

# SATURDAY PERFORMERS

10:00 - 10:05 **Greetings** 

10:05 - 10:45 The BenTTree Bluegrass Band

10:50 - 11:30 Davis & Grant

11:35 - 12:15 **Georgian Blue** 

**County Road 5** 12:20 - 1:00

Winterline 1:05 - 1:45

1:50 - 2:30**The Nelson Family** 

2:35 - 3:15**Traditionally Wound** 

3:20 - 4:00The BenTTree Bluegrass Band

4:05 - 4:45The Tebworth Brothers

4:50-5:30 **Davis & Grant** 

### Dinner Break ...

6:30 - 6:35**MC** Greetings

6:35 - 7:15**Georgian Blue** 

7:20 - 8:00**Traditionally Wound** 

8:05 - 8:45**County Road 5** 

8:50 - 9:30Winterline

9:35 - 10:15 **Grasstic Measures** 

### SUNDAY PERFORMERS

9:00 - 10:00 Old Time Gospel Sing and Jam

**10:00 – 10:05 Morning Greeting** 

10:05 - 10:45 **The Nelson Family** 

10:50 - 11:30 **Georgian Blue** 

11:35 – 12:15 **Winterline** 

12:20 - 1:00**The Tebworth Brothers** 

1:05 - 1:40**County Road 5** 

**Grasstic Measures** 1:45 - 2:25

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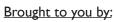
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# Minden Hills Bluegrass Festival Rules

We want this festival to be an enjoyable event for everyone. Please follow these rules to help make our festival a success and a wonderful memory for all.

- Wristbands must be worn at all times and displayed to any festival staff member upon request.
- No glass containers for safety reasons, beverages must be in cans or plastic containers.
- No smoking or personal alcoholic beverages in the concert area.
- No standing in the concert area or if it rains, please no umbrellas as this blocks the view for others.
- No drugs, drunkenness or rowdy behavior will be tolerated on the grounds.
- Please utilize the trash barrels & recycling bins throughout the grounds.
- Pets are to be kept at your campsite. Please clean up after your pets.
- No open fires, flame burners/heaters, etc or fireworks (no exceptions)
- No amplified music (acoustic jams only).
- Dump out is available for a fee of \$10.
- No surface discharge of black or grey water on the grounds.
- Generator times: 8:00am 10:00am and 4:00pm 6:00pm (exceptions will be made for medical purposes).
- No electrical/extension cords are permitted to cross any designated road surfaces.
- We reserve the right to refuse anyone admission.
- No refunds on advance tickets or for anyone removed from the grounds for rule violations.
- The Minden Hills Bluegrass Festival is not responsible for any accidents, loss, theft, injury to persons, or damage to property, however caused.

### Camping Information

RV parking/camping is included for the Friday & Saturday nights in the weekend ticket prices. This is rough camping however there are a limited number of electrical hookups available for an additional \$10 which will be collected on site. Additional early RV parking/camping is available starting Monday night through Thursday @ \$10 per night.

RV parking/camping is on a reserve basis for advance ticket buyers. The sooner you book, the better chance you'll get to secure a camping spot that either meets your requirements, is closest to the stage or is with

### Arrival Times

Monday to Thursday - Gates open at 12 noon. Friday, Saturday & Sunday - Gates open

- Pickin' Jams after the concerts.
- Food concessions & beverage tent on the festival grounds starting Friday afternoon.
  - No glass, open fires, flame burners/heaters etc or fireworks permitted on the festival grounds.





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# Fishing derby attracts dozens of kids

### DORSETNEWS

Melissa Alfano 705-766-0076 malfano@hotmail.ca

In spite of being rained out on July 10 and having to go with the rain date on July 11, the 20th annual Dorset Kids Fish Derby was a grand success with 36 children along with parents, grandparents, and assorted friends and relatives participating. Thank you to the many sponsors who ensured that every child had a prize! And to all the volunteers and helpers who contributed to the success!

There is an exciting activity happening this Saturday! There will be a Cottage Estate Sale on Saturday July 16 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Mountain Trout House Marina, 1508 Russell Landing Rd., rain or shine. Please no emails, phone calls or pre-sales - just come to the sale! There are many items to please all tastes such as: antique Muskoka furniture and accessories (some articles circa 1930-40's) including one large dining room table with eight chairs, a hutch, two large maple arm chairs with cushions and wrought iron lamps. Also, one maple dining room table with six chairs, miscellaneous furniture, deck chairs, water-skis etc. Don't miss the fun! You might just find that cottage treasure you've been looking for!

New at the Dorset Rec Centre is "Chess Drop In" on Tuesdays from 2 to 4 p.m. Please bring your own chess board and pieces if you have them (donations are welcome to help get the group started!). Chess is free for members or \$5 for adults or \$2.50 for youth or seniors.

There are lots of opportunities for yoga at the Dorset Rec

On Tuesdays, there are two opportunities to do yoga with Caitlin Hutt. There is a morning class from 10 to 11 a.m. and an evening class from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Participants should bring their own mats and wear clothing that they can move in. The class will be appropriate for everyone, whether they are an avid yogi or brand new to the practice. If you can breathe, you can do yoga! For more information, email Caitlin at cait@theopenspace.co call her at 705-766-2260. There is a





### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Minden Hills proposes to consider by-laws to stop up, close, and convey those parcels of land more particularly described as follows:

- File No. PLSRA2015060: Part of the original shore road allowance along the shore of Davis, lying in front of Lot 10, Concession 3, Geographic Township of Lutterworth, designated as Part 4, on a Plan
- File No. PLSRA2016007 & PLRA2016006: Part of the original shore road allowance along the shore of Gull Lake, lying in front of Lot 7, Concession 12, Geographic Township of Lutterworth, designated as Part 2 & 3; and further, portions of the road allowance of Sandy Bay Road lying in front of Lot 7, Concession 12, Geographic Township of Lutterworth, designated as Part 2 & 3 on a Plan of Survey.

The above noted plans of surveys are available for inspection in the Building and Planning Department located at 7 Milne Street, Minden, Ontario during regular office hours. Additional information may be obtained by contacting the undersigned at 705-286-1260 (x206) or by e-mail at iclendening@mindenhills.ca.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that the proposed By-Laws will come before the said Council for consideration, and if deemed advisable for passing, at its regular meeting to be held in the Municipal Council Chambers at 7 Milne Street, Minden, Ontario, on Thursday, July 28, 2016 at the hour of 9:00 a.m. At that time, Council will hear in person or by their counsel, solicitor, or agent, any person who claims that their land will be prejudicially affected and who applies to be heard.

Dated this 14th day of July, 2016

Ian Clendening, MPl. Secretary-Treasurer Committee of Adjustment



**Kvleiah** Phelan, Emily May, Zoe Jenkin and Brialen MacNeill win the prize for best matching outfits at the **Dorset Kids** Fish Derby.

\$15 fee to the instructor payable by cash or cheque.

On Wednesdays, join Ingrid Bittner from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Ingrid's class is for all levels from beginner to

advanced students. Learn yoga stretches, breathing techniques and meditation to rejuvenate and restore. Contact Ingrid at 705-783-1691 or indridbittner@gmail.com for more information. There is a \$15 fee to the instructor payable by cash or cheque.

On Fridays, join Allie Chisholm Smith for her sublime yoga class from 10 to 11 a.m. Allie's class is suitable for all levels and the fee is \$17 drop able by cash or cheque.



\$120 for 9 classes, pay- Ryan and Mikayla Tyrrell

The next foot clinic at prepare the bait. the Dorset Recreation Centre takes place on Wednesday, July 27. For more information or to book an appointment, contact Fran Gower, R.N. at 705-635-1229.

Happy birthday to Ursula Bryant, Lindsay Drinkwater, Jesse Ryan, Scott Crewson, Ted Hope, Andy McEachern, and Joe Fuller!

If you would like to include something in the news, please contact me at malfano@hotmail.ca or by telephone at 705-766-0076.



Mackenna MacFarlane of Orangeville is ready to go at the Dorset Kids Fish Derby.



Lizzy Frank Jade and Wes Walker and Mom Susan Frank and Grandpa Ted Hope get registered for the Dorset Kids Fish Derby.

### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

Applicant: Bennett Part of Lot 3, Concession 3, Kushog Lake Geographic Township of Stanhope



WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Algonquin Highlands has declared part of Lot 3, Concession 3, and part of the original shore road allowance lying in front of Lot 3, Concession 3, Kushog Lake, in the geographic Township of Stanhope, in the Township of Algonquin Highlands, County of Haliburton, to be surplus

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Algonquin Highlands proposes to enact a By-Law to stop-up, close and convey to the abutting property owner(s) that part of Lot 3, Concession 3, and part of the original shore road allowance lying in front of Lot 3, Concession 3, Kushog Lake, described as all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Geographic Township of Stanhope, in the County of Haliburton and being composed of the following

FIRSTLY: THAT part of the Original Shore Road Allowance in front of Lot 3, Concession 3, geographic Township of Stanhope, described as Part 3 on a Plan deposited in the Registry Office for the Registry Division of Haliburton County s Plan 19R-9865.

SECONDLY: THAT part of Lot 3, Concession 3, geographic Township of Stanhope, described as Part 2 on a Plan deposited in the Registry Office for the Registry Division of Haliburton County as Plan 19R-9865.

The proposed By-Law will come before the said Council for consideration at its regular meeting at the Stanhope Firefighters' Community Hall, 1095 North Shore Road, on the 21st day of July, 2016 and at that time, the Council will hear in person or by his/her counsel, solicitor or agent any person who claims that his/her land will be prejudicially affected and who applies to be heard. Any person who wishes to be heard by Council regarding this proposed closure must contact the Clerk to schedule a delegation with Council.

Dated: July 14th, 2016

Sean O'Callaghan B.U.R.Pl, MCIP, RPP Planner

Township of Algonquin Highlands 1123 North Shore Rd.

Algonquin Highlands, ON KOM 1J1 Tel: (705) 489-2379

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### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

Applicant: Peck Lot 26, Concession 12, Little Hawk Lake Geographic Township of Stanhope

WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Algonquin Highlands has declared part of the original shore road allowance lying in front of Lot 26, Concession 12, Little Hawk Lake, in the geographic Township of Stanhope, in the Township of Algonquin Highlands, County of Haliburton,

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Algonquin Highlands proposes to enact a By-Law to stop-up, close and convey to the abutting property owner(s) that part of the original shore road allowance lying in front of Lot 26, Concession 12, Little Hawk Lake, described as all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Geographic Township of Stanhope, in the County of Haliburton and being composed of the following:

**FIRSTLY:** THAT part of the original shore road allowance in front of Lot 26, Concession 12 described as Part 2 on a Plan deposited in the Registry Office for the Registry Division of Haliburton County as Plan 19R-9874

**SECONDLY:** THAT part of the original shore road allowance in front of Lot 26, Concession 12 described as Part 3 on a Plan deposited in the Registry Office for the Registry Division of Haliburton County as Plan

The proposed By-Law will come before the said Council for consideration egular meeting at the Stanhope Fire Community North Shore Road, on the 21st day of July, 2016 and at that time, the Council will hear in person or by his/her counsel, solicitor or agent any person who claims that his/her land will be prejudicially affected and who applies to be heard. Any person who wishes to be heard by Council regarding this proposed closure must contact the Clerk to schedule a delegation with Council.

July 14th, 2016

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# Up River Trading Co. expands

by CHAD INGRAM

Times Staff

Minden's Up River Trading Co. has a new neighbour - Up River Trading Co.

The downtown business has expanded into the building next door, at the corner of Bobcaygeon Road and Newcastle Street.

"We have more walls and more floor space," says owner Mike McKeon, "so we can really show some unique art. Most importantly, we have more display space for our printing."

Along with home furnishings, decor and art, Up River Trading Co. offers customizable digital printing on clothing, pillows, etc., done by designer and co-owner Paul Roy.

"We recently upgraded our equipment," McKeon says. "It really gives us more quality."

Customizable templates include odes to cottage country lakes printed on T-shirts and other clothing and baby pillows bearing the name, birthdate and size of newborns.

Designs can also be customized from

The business will also be offering the printing of digital photos on canvas, which McKeon says can be overlaid with lettering.

"It can be your lake, it can be your cottage name," he says.



Mike McKeon of Minden's Up River Trading Co. in the store's new, additional space along Bobcaygeon Road. The business does customizable printing on clothing, pillows, etc. and is now offering the printing of digital photos on canvas. **CHAD INGRAM Staff** 

The new space, which includes works by local artists, will be open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., closed on Mondays.



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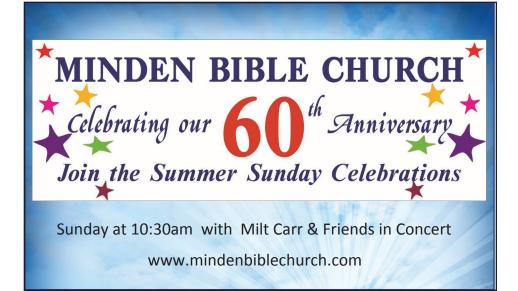
— MIKE MCKEON



**North Frontenac Telephone Haliburton Corp (NFTC)** is pleased to announce, effective July 8th 2016 the purchase of the Cable TV systems in Haliburton and Minden from Eastlink.

> For information please contact: info@NFTCtelecom.com 1-888-638-3575

# Events



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**Request for Public Input Invitation to Public Consultants** 

### Renewal Options for the S.G Nesbitt Memorial Arena

Council and the Arena Task Force seek input on the selection of a preferred option for the Renewal of the S.G. Nesbitt Memorial Arena and invites residents, businesses and visitors to complete a survey. Your participation is valued and appreciated in shaping the future of this important recreational facility serving the community of Minden Hills. The following Public Meetings are scheduled to present and discuss additionally the renewal options at the Minden Community Centre, Room #2. Doors open at 6:30 pm. Presentations at 7:00 pm:

- Sports and Recreation Groups Monday September 19, 2016, 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm.
- General Public Monday October 3, 2016, 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm

### Master Parks and Trails Plan

Council and the Community Services Advisory Committee seek further input on the development of the Draft Master Parks and Trails Plan and invites residents, businesses and visitors to complete the following surveys:

- Minden Hills Survey #1 Initial survey of needs and concerns to help create a plan to enhance and develop the Parks and Trails of Minden Hills.
- Minden Hills Survey #2 Input on Draft Master Parks and Trails Plan to date.

A final Public Meeting is scheduled for Monday October 24, 2016, 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm at the Minden Community Centre to share the additional results and findings of the surveys and revised draft recommendations within the Plan.

All completed surveys may be returned until October 11th to the above locations or by email to mcoleman@mindenhills.ca.

Copies of all Surveys and background material are available at the following locations:

- Community Services Department 55 Parkside Street (S.G. Nesbitt Memorial Arena), Minden, ON K0M 2K0. Monday- Friday 8:30 am to 4:30 pm
- Administration Office 7 Milne Street, Minden, ON K0M 2K0. Monday-Friday 8:30 am

Inquiries, questions, or requests for additional background information can be directed to Mark Coleman, Director of Community Services, mcoleman@mindenhills.ca,



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# Saturday, July 16, 2016

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Donations to the Food Bank or Heat Bank in lieu of admission are encouraged



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# **County card**

by Patti Fleury ~ 488-2938 ~ brucefleury1@hotmail.com

July 4 contract bridge at Stanhope: The high scoring quartet members were Kathie Porter 5,050, Ross Davies 4,920, Vange Croucher 4,900 and Bruce Armstrong 4,620 with Jackie Metcalf awarded the Lucky Loonie.

July 5 contract bridge at Minden United Church: Nancy Ballantyne reports that top marks went to Fred Jewson 4,010 then Gerald Bergin 3,820 and Heather Harrington 3,780.

July 5 Minden Seniors bid euchre at Minden Legion: Leading ladies were Pat Marshall 292, Pearl Cowen 286, Jean Scadden 253 and Sharon Jarvis 199. First for the gents at 256 was Albert Foster followed by Karen Chapman and Mary Lou Dealy both at 255 and Dorothy McElwain 247. Jean Scadden won the major draw prize with Margaret Oetelaar, Bev Johnson and Mary Lou Dealy claiming the smaller prizes. Betty Wagar further reports that Theresa Deak, Albert Foster, Jesse Barlow, Mary Lou Dealy and Karen Chapman [2] took the moonshots.

July 5 euchre at Lochlin Community Centre: Holding the most lone hands was Reta Crofts with Shirley Davis high lady and our reporter Nancy McPherson low lady. Harold Harvie was high man and Terry Davis low with Nancy McPherson also taking home the special prize.

July 6 duplicate bridge at Parklane, Haliburton: North/South leaders were Irena and Alek Zworski 67 percent, Diana Spicer and Paul Pethick 55 percent and Judy Neimann partnered with Rolly Forbert 54 percent. Over in East/West the honours went to Vange Croucher teamed with Art Steed 62 percent, Jan and Dave Heaven 59 percent and John and Jean Collins 56

July 7 euchre at Minden Legion: Tom Grix reports that holding the most lone hands were Bev Johnson and Ron Morrison with Gala Newell and Karen Chapman posting the high scores. The evening's lows went to Blanche Carr and Doug O'Dell while Kaye Bull, Al Arbuthnot, Betty Wagar and Irene McDowell took home the other prizes.

July 7 bid euchre at Minden Community Centre: At 348 Theresa Deak led the scoring for the ladies followed by our reporter Bev Johnson 305, Betty Wagar 264 and Pat Roussel 218. For the gents Albert Foster took top spot at 276 then Clare Obdam 272, Doug McIntosh 258 and Kevin Maloney 218. Pat Norman won for both the hidden score and call 1 while Harold Harvie claimed the card draw. In the moonshot department Pat Roussel and Theresa Deak had singles with Tom Grix and Kevin Maloney each taking two.

July 8 duplicate bridge at Echo Hills, Haliburton: At 62 percent Irena and Alek Zworski were first in North/South with Nettie Butterworth partnered with her daughter Cathy Snowden next at 55 percent and Helen Baker and Nancy Jackson 54 percent third. Leading in East/West were Jim and Ruth Forrester 62 percent, Vange Croucher and Dave Robinson 57 percent and Joan Davies partnered with Sue Pethick 51 percent. Thanks to Margo Davidson for the results on these three sets of bridge events

July 10 Big Bucks Bid Euchre at Minden Legion: Bev Johnson reports that based on 12 games Jessica Hutton was first at 116, Dagmar Scriver 105 second and Robert Waterson 104 third with June King holding the

July 11 euchre at St. Paul's Friendship Club, Minden: Most lone hand honours went to Pearl Cowen and our reporter Tim Sharpe with Barbara Braithwaite and Lyn Preston posting the high scores. The afternoon's low was registered by Lil Mann while Pearl Cowen also won the special prize.

July 11 Kinmount Seniors bid euchre at Kinmount Legion: Topping the charts were Pauline Franzen 284, Jesse Barlow 268 and Dana Briscoe 240. Rose Isaacson further reports that Rae Dawn Shepheard won the draw with Jesse Barlow and Hazel Benetin claiming the moonshots.

July 11 euchre at Staanworth Terrace, Minden: From Sherin Brown the news that Joan Riel won for high hands. Jan Heuson for lone hands and Judy Reddy for both low hands and the special prize.

### **BOOK LAUNCH**

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### **UPCOMING**

# Community **Events**

Want to get your event in Community Calendar? It's free! Contact Pat at classifieds@ haliburtonpress.com.

### Dated Events

### **Museum Goes To Penny Raffle**

When: Saturday July 16 1:30 to 3:30 and 6:30 to draw time at 8 PM

Where: Keith Tallman Memorial Arena, Wilberforce See Museum pieces such as unusual urinals & bed pans. View the guilt someone will win soon Outpost Museum 705 448 3000 0r Hilda 705 448 2018

**Famous Chicken and Rib Dinner** When: Saturday July 16th, Door opens 4 pm, Auction starts at 5;30 pm.Dinner at 6 pm.

Where: Haliburton Curling Club.

Tickets; \$35.00 a person or \$85.00 for a family. Phone

705 457 9664 to purchase tickets

There are live auctions including a trip for two weeks in the Barbados. Many many silent auction items. 50/50

The Meal is extraordinary and includes a glass of wine. All proceeds go to raising trout for Haliburton Lakes.

### The Cottage Country Writers of Haliburton and Muskoka, Present the 4th Annual Tall Pine

When: Wednesday July 20th at 6:00 pm Where: The Community Room, 13523 Hwy #18,

Cost: \$20:00 includes Buffet/Presentations/Door Prizes Limited seating for Buffet, so purchase your ticket by July

Tickets/Information: Contact Pat Bett, 705-455-9074 Enjoy an evening of fiction and memoirs, laced with humour, presented by talented writers from Muskoka and Haliburton. Jim Poling Sr. is Master of Ceremonies.

### Afternoon Tea & Lawn Croquet by the Lake

When: Thursday July 21 1:30 to 4:00 PM

Where: Wilberforce Red Cross Outpost Historic House

Relax over tea on your own or as a group. Try some regular or clock croquet. In case of rain tea only inside

Outpost Museum 705 448 3000 or Hilda at 705 448 2018

HALIBURTON: Sexual Health Clinic

When: Wednesday, July 27, 10:30 am to Noon The clinic provides clients with confidential access to cervical screening, low-cost birth control, pregnancy testing and sexual health teaching. Testing and treatment of sexually transmitted infections are also provided. For more information, locations or to make an appointment, call the Health Unit at 1-866-888-4577, ext. 2205.

### **Royal Canadian Legion - Haliburton presents** Gord Kidd & friends in the clubroom

When: Saturday, July 23, 2016, 4:00 - 7:00 pm

Where: Haliburton Legion, Clubroom

Cost: \$5.00 cover charge for non-members

-50/50 draw at 6:00 pm

-enjoy delicious pulled pork on a bun for \$6.00 by the

Ladies Auxiliary

For information contact: Linda at 705-457-2064

### The 45th running of the Highland Yard

When: Sunday July 31 Where: Minden

The 45th runnning of the Highland Yard is offered by Places for People, our local non profit for affordable housing. We feature a raffle, age group prizes, a 2K family rate and an incentive for pledges collected. To register or more information: www.run.highlandyard.

### Wild About Nature, Tee Up for the Trust Golf Tournament.

When: August 11

Where: Pinestone Golf Club

Early bird registrations must be in by June 21. Robert Bateman will be a special guest at the dinner.

Haliburton Highlands Land Trust

### **Outpost Museum at the Fair**

When: Saturday August 6, 9 am - 5 pm

Where: Curling Rink at Wilberforce Agricultural Fair Display about early farming settlers of Wilberforce & area Outpost Museum 705-448-3000 or Hilda at 705-448-

2018

# City seeks input on services

### **AROUND**THE TOWN

Patti Fleury

705-488-2938 brucefleury1@hotmail.com

Here at the old farmhouse all inhabitants both of the two and four legged variety have their own daily schedules. Bruce, an early riser around 5 a.m., is joined by the birdsong chorus from the dooryard while I come downstairs by 7 a.m.



## Applicant: GAMMON

Lot 19, Concession 3, Beech Lake Geographic Township of Stanhope

WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Algonquin Highlands has declared part of the original shore road allowance lying in front of Lot 19, Concession 3, Beech Lake, in the geographic Township of Stanhope, in the Township of Algonquin Highlands, County of Haliburton,

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Algonquin Highlands proposes to enact a By-Law to stop-up, close and convey to the abutting property owner(s) that part of the original shore road allowance lying in front of Lot 19, Concession 3, Beech Lake, described as all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Geographic Township of Stanhope, in the County of Haliburton and being composed of the following:

**FIRSTLY: THAT** part of the original shore road allowance in front of Lot 19, Concession 3, described as Part 1 on a Plan deposited in the Registry Office for the Registry Division of Haliburton County as Plan 19R-9875

The proposed By-Law will come before the said Council for consideration at its regular meeting at the Stanhope Firefighters' Community Hall, 1095 North Shore Road, on **the 21st day of July, 2016** and at that time, the Council will hear in person or by his/her counsel, solicitor or agent any person who claims that his/her land will be prejudicially affected and who applies to be heard. Any person who wishes to be heard by Council regarding this proposed closure must contact the Clerk to schedule a delegation with Council.

July 14th, 2016

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## **PUBLIC NOTICE**Applicant: McINNES

Lot 15, Concession 8, Hall's Lake Geographic Township of Stanhope

WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Algonquin Highlands has declared part of the original shore road allowance lying in front of Lot 15, Concession 8, Hall's Lake, in the geographic Township of Stanhope, in the Township of Algonquin Highlands, County of Haliburton,

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Algonquin Highlands proposes to enact a By-Law to stop-up, close and convey to the abutting property owner(s) that part of the original shore road allowance lying in front of Lot 15, Concession 8, Hall's Lake, described as all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Geographic Township of Stanhope, in the County of Haliburton and being composed of the following:

**FIRSTLY: THAT** part of the original shore road allowance in front of Lot 15, Concession 8, described as Part 1 on a Plan deposited in the Registry Office for the Registry Division of Haliburton County as Plan 19R-9879.

The proposed By-Law will come before the said Council for consideration at its regular meeting at the Stanhope Firefighters' Community Hall, 1095 North Shore Road, on the 21st day of July, 2016 and at that time, the Council will hear in person or by his/her counsel, solicitor or agent any person who claims that his/her land will be prejudicially affected and who applies to be heard. Any person who wishes to be heard by Council regarding this proposed closure must contact the Clerk to schedule a delegation with Council.

**Dated:** July 14th, 2016

Sean O'Callaghan B.U.R.Pl, MCIP, RPP

Township of Algonquin Highlands 1123 North Shore Rd. Algonquin Highlands, ON K0M 1J1 Tel: (705) 489-2379

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accompanied by yellow lab Taffy. She heads outside while the two cats reluctantly wait for the Keurig to brew a cup of coffee before their breakfast is served up. Not all schedules however run so smoothly. Granddaughter Emma's expected Monday afternoon arrival back from a week's business trip to London, England did not happen. Her return flight with Air Transit was delayed and her new expected time of arrival set for 2 a.m. Tuesday morning. Thankfully true love prevails with boyfriend Chris still planning to meet her at Pearson but Emma is due to begin her six month fulltime Producers Laboratory at the Canadian Film Centre at 10 a.m. that same morning. This beautiful, multi-talented girl who aspired since childhood to be centre stage has of necessity found her niche in writing and producing. We are very proud and excited for her and trust that "jet lag" will not be misinterpreted on day 1 as other than that. Go for it "Georgia Pie."

City of Kawartha Lakes' Mayor Andy Letham's Town Hall Meeting held this past Sunday afternoon in the Kinmount Community Centre was one in a series of 10 such events across the City. His presentation focussed on both certain elements of the core services review process and the three options being considered for changes in existing Ward boundaries and the resultant number of Councillors assigned to each option. There is a request for public input on these three options with information available on the City website.

Here is a call for two vendor opportunities. On Saturday, July 30 the Kinmount Seniors Group will hold its annual Yard Sale from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. outside at the Railway Station. Tables are \$8 and can be booked by calling Rose at 705-286-0365. Then on Saturday, Aug. 6 Kinmount's Family Funfest" will liven up Main Street from 4 to 9 p.m. There is free space available for vendors, yard sales and community groups which can be reserved now by calling 705-488-2919.

As part of its relocation from Main Street, Kinmount to a home based Salon JC's Cuts & More at 3718 County Road 121 now has a ramp providing accessibility for those with mobility issues and/or equipment. While Jessica continued to provide great service over the winter months I avoided haircuts reluctant to tackle stairs. With the ramp now in place there will be no legitimate excuse for my unkept winter locks.

Kinmount United Church will hold its annual "Service in the Park" this Sunday, July 17 beginning at 10 a.m. with Rev. Desmond Howard presiding. The Service will be held in the Picnic Pavilion area of Austin Sawmill Heritage Park and there will be a barbecue to follow. Everyone is invited to join in the Service and fellowship while enjoying the beautiful setting beside the Burnt River. With all the tumult now

see PANCAKE page 24



Lot 19, Concession 3, Beech Lake Geographic Township of Stanhope

WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Algonquin Highlands has declared part of the original shore road allowance lying in front of Lot 19, Concession 3, Beech Lake, in the geographic Township of Stanhope, in the Township of Algonquin Highlands, County of Haliburton, to be surplus.

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Algonquin Highlands proposes to enact a By-Law to stop-up, close and convey to the abutting property owner(s) that part of the original shore road allowance lying in front of Lot 19, Concession 3, Beech Lake, described as all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Geographic Township of Stanhope, in the County of Haliburton and being composed of the following:

FIRSTLY: THAT part of the original shore road allowance in front of Lot 19, Concession 3, described as Part 1 on a Plan deposited in the Registry Office for the Registry Division of Haliburton County as Plan 19R-9877.

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# Anglican church serving up pancake breakfast

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facing our world and in particular our good neighbours to the south it is fitting to sometimes take time to pause and reflect especially surrounded by the beauty of our natural environment.

At St. James Anglican Church, Kinmount a second Pancake Breakfast will be served in the church hall on Saturday. July 30 from 9 to 11 a.m. with pancakes, sausages and real maple syrup on the menu. The cost is by donation.

Speaking of the tumult nephew Alistair who recently flew here from Dallas for Bruce's birthday celebration lives outside the city core in the suburb of Grand Praire. His work at corporate headquarters takes him downtown daily where one of his company's several restaurant chains has an outlet still in lockdown. I note that this column has been written under duress with tuxedo cat Jake stretched out across the desk with two of his favourite things - paper and a breeze. Until next week keep busy, positive and well. They go together...





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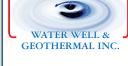
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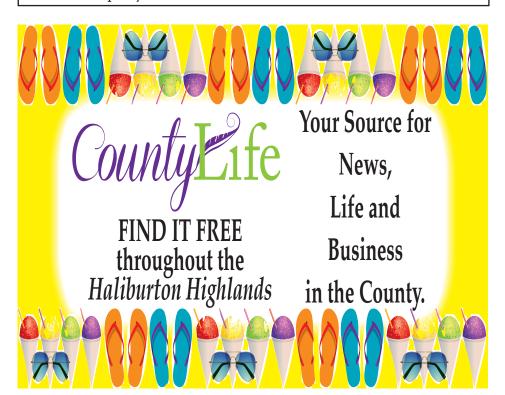


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### 650 OBITUARIES

### Stribling, **Peter Andrew John**

Peacefully at the Perth District Hospital, with his family by his side, on Saturday, July 9, 2016 in his 77th year.

**Beloved husband of Beulah** Stribling. Loving father of Dennis (Sheri), David (Karen) and Debbie (Warren). Cherished grandfather of Peter, Dale, Quinton and Kelly Dear brother of Heather Duffy (the late Gerald) and Anne Harrison (Harry). Predeceased by his brother Wayne McBean. Fondly remembered by his nieces, nephews, extended family and friends.

As per Peter's wishes cremation has taken place. Celebration of Peter's life will be held at the family home (695 Iron Mine Road, Lanark, Ontario) on Wednesday, July 13, 2016 starting at 3 o'clock.

As expressions of sympathy, donations to L.A.W.S. would be appreciated by the family. Online condolences available at www.lannin.ca.







### **Keith Traviss**

(Resident of Gooderham Ontario)

Peacefully in his sleep at the Haverock Music Festival in Havelock on Friday morning, July 8, 2016 in his 54th year. Cherished son of Frank and the late Marie Traviss (nee Raby) of Gooderham. Beloved husband of Jackie Traviss

(nee Simpson). Loving father of Jake (Leah) Traviss of Oshawa and Jennifer (Matt) of Oshawa. Fondly remembered by his granddaughter Addison. Dear brother of Karen Francis (Billy) of Lindsay. Also lovingly remembered by his nephew Traviss and niece Samantha. Keith worked for General Motors for over 30 years as an Assembler in the Car Plant B Body Chassis. Keith enjoyed hunting, fishing, sports, the Annual Pig Roast and most of all family and friends.

### Visitation, Funeral Service & Reception

Friends are invited to call at the HALIBURTON COMMUNITY FUNERAL HOME 13523 Hwy. #118, Haliburton, Ontario (705)457-9209 on Monday evening, July 11, 2016 from 7-9 p.m. Funeral Service in the Chapel on Tuesday afternoon, July 12, 2016 at 2 o'clock (Visitation one hour prior). Interment Glamorgan Cemetery, Gooderham. As expressions of sympathy, donations to the Haliburton Highlands Outdoors Association would be appreciated by

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### 650 OBITUARIES

Gordon A.



In Loving Memory of

### Hans Peter Martin

Passed away peacefully at the Peterborough Regional Health Centre on Monday, July 4, 2016, at the age of 69.

Beloved husband of Carol, dear father of Carrie, Sean (Bridgette) and stepfather to Norman Taylor. Loving Papa to Savannah, Kyle, Taylor, David, Wyatt and Sarah. Predeceased by his parents Hans and Martha, by his brother Bruno

and by his sister-in-law Annarite. Fondly remembered by his many nieces, nephews, family and friends. The family would like to thank the Minden Emergency for all the excellent care provided.

A Celebration of Peter's Life will be held at Peter and Carol's home in Minden on Saturday, July 16, 2016 at 3:00 pm with a Service at 4:00 pm. Cremation has taken place.

Memorial Donations to the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation (HHHSF) would be appreciated by the family and can be arranged through the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home Ltd., P.O. Box 427, Minden K0M 2K0.



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